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ORDINANCE NO. _____

AN ORDINANCE amending Section 6.04.155 of the Lincoln Municipal Code relating to animal hybrids to postpone the effective date of the ban on animal hybrids to October 1, 2002; and repealing Section 6.04.155 of the Lincoln Municipal Code as hitherto existing.

BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Lincoln, Nebraska:

Section 1. That Section 6.04.155 of the Lincoln Municipal Code be amended to read as follows:

6.04.155 Hybrid; Unlawful.

It shall be unlawful to own an animal hybrid; except a person who owns an otherwise lawful animal hybrid prior to the enactment of this ordinance shall be entitled to maintain ownership of said hybrid until such time as the hybrid dies, is given away, sold, or otherwise transferred to the ownership of another, or for one year (whichever is shorter), for such time until October 1, 2002, as long as the following conditions are met:

- (a) The hybrid shall be cared for in a manner consistent with the law;
- (b) The hybrid is kept in a completely fenced enclosure that is adequate to prevent the escape of the animal hybrid;
- (c) The animal hybrid is vaccinated against rabies annually and the owner provides proof of same; and
- (d) A hybrid of the family canidae shall count as a dog and a hybrid of the family felidae shall count as a cat for purposes of determining the number of dogs or cats owned, kept, or harbored on a premises under Chapters 6.08 and 6.12 of this title.

Section 2. That Section 6.04	4.155 of the Lincoln Municipal Code as hitherto
existing be and the same is hereby repeal	led.
Section 3. That this ordinance	e shall take effect and be in force from and after its
passage and publication according to law	•
	Introduced by:
Approved as to Form & Legality:	
City Attorney	-
Staff Review Completed:	
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Administrative Assistant	
	Approved this day of, 2002: